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ANNUAL PLAN FOR STATES
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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Annual Plan allocations for 2001-2002 for different States have been unusually delayed;

(b) if so, the details of allocations made for Assam and other North Eastern States during the current year;

(c) the reason for the delay; and

(d) the growth rates and targets fixed for different sectors during the last three years including the current year ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT, MINISTER OF STATE IN TH MINISTRIES OF PLANNING, STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE)

(a) No Sir. The Annual Plan allocations for 2001-02 for different states have not beendelayed. The process of Annual Plan formulation is presently underway. As a prelude to Annual Plan allocations for 2001-02, discussions with the States on Financial Resources arein progress, and State Plan Advisers have also started discussions on the annual plan priorities in the State Capitals.

b) The details of Plan allocations made for Assam and other North Eastern States for 2000-01 are given as under :

State	(Rs. Crore)	State	(Rs. Crore)
1. Arunachal Pra	640.00	5. Mizoram	401.26
2. Assam	1520.00	6. Nagaland	326.00
3. Manipur	451.00	7. Tripura	485.00
4. Meghlaya	480.00	8. Sikkim	250.00

c) In view of the reply on (a) above, question of reason for delay does not arise.

d) The growth rates and targets of various sectors are not fixed by Planning Commission as a part of the Planning Process on an Annual basis.